Water Supply Panelists, September 28, 2009 Task Force Meeting



The September 28 Task Force meeting will include a panel of four professionals with extensive experience related to Water Supply. The four panelists are:

John Stufflebean Director, Department of Environmental Services, City of San Jose

John Stufflebean has served as the Director of the Environmental Services Department for the City of San José since December 2005. He oversees a staff of nearly 500 and an annual budget of \$250 million. The Environmental Services Department is among the most comprehensive governmental environmental departments in the country, consisting of four fee-supported utilities for wastewater treatment, water supply, watershed protection, solid waste management.

Before he came to San José, Mr. Stufflebean served as the City of Kansas City, Missouri's first Environmental Management Director, a position he assumed in 1995. In Phoenix, Arizona, he led the Maricopa County Solid Waste Management Department. Prior to that, he held various positions with the Wastewater Management Department in Pima County, Arizona. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Colorado State University, a Masters degree in Environmental Engineering from the University of Arizona, and a M.P.A. from the University of Missouri at Kansas City.

Jim Fiedler, P.E., D. WRE Chief Operating Officer: Water Utility Enterprise

James Fiedler is the Chief Operating Officer for the District's Water Utility Enterprise. He has served in this capacity since 2007. A member of the district staff since 1982 he has over 29 years of leadership and engineering experience in the area of water supply, flood control and watershed stewardship. His management and technical experience includes regional water resources, flood and environmental planning, design, construction, operations and maintenance of water supply and flood protection infrastructure.

Mr. Fiedler is a registered civil engineer in California. He is a graduate of Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles with a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering, and graduate of Stanford University with a Master's degree in Civil Engineering. He is currently a board member of the National Association of Flood and Stormwater Management Agencies (NAFSMA), San Francisco Estuary Institute (SFEI), and Bay Planning Coalition. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, American Water Works Association, Water Environment Federation, American Public Works Association, and Tau Beta Pi.

Stan Williams Poseidon Resources, Vice President Project Development

Mr. Williams is a water resources manager with over 20 years of experience in public sector water management. Located in Poseidon's San Jose office, Mr. Williams oversees all project development for Northern California. Prior to joining Poseidon, Mr. Williams served for over 13 years as Chief Executive Officer for the Santa Clara Valley Water District, one of California's largest local water agencies with an annual budget exceeding \$350 million and over 800 employees. At the Water District, he oversaw an infrastructure capital program that included over 100 projects with a total funding requirement of \$2.13 billion. During his tenure, the District won numerous accolades for improving water conservation and environmental stewardship.

Known as an advocate for regional cooperation, Mr. Williams was the first chair of both the San Francisco Bay Area Water Agencies Coalition and the San Francisco Bay Area Regional Integrated Water Management Plan Coordinating Committee. Mr. Williams' previous experience includes positions with the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the Oklahoma Corporation Commission and the City of Tulsa, Oklahoma. He earned a bachelor's degree in political science and master's degree in regional and city planning from the University of Oklahoma. He also earned a Juris Doctorate degree from the Columbus School of Law at the Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C.

Glen T. Daigger, Ph.D., P.E., BCEE, NAE Senior Vice President and Chief Technology Officer CH2MHill

A recognized expert in wastewater treatment, especially the use of biological processes, Dr. Daigger is currently a Senior Vice President and Chief Technology Officer for CH2M HILL where he has been employed for 29 years. He also served as Professor and Chair of the Environmental Systems Engineering Department at Clemson University. As the author or coauthor of more than 100 technical papers, four books, and several technical manuals, he has contributed to advancing practice within our profession. He is President-Elect of the International Water Association (IWA). For the Water Environment Federation (WEF) he has served as Chair of several committees, including the task force that developed the most recent edition of the WEF MOP No. 8, Design of Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plants, Board of Editorial Review of Water Environment Research, the Technical Practice Committee, and the Committee Leadership Council (CLC). He has also served in the House of Delegates and the Board of Trustees. For the Water Environment Research Foundation (WERF) he served on the Board of Directors and Research Council where he served as its chair. He is the recipient of numerous awards, including the Kappe and Freese lectures and the Harrison Prescott Eddy, Morgan, and the Gascoigne Awards from WEF. A member of a number of professional societies, Dr. Daigger is also a member of the National Academy of Engineers.